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Thank you so much for sharing the summary and the papers with us.

Happy Holidays, Amy

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Amy,

Per our recent discussion, we are sending a summary of the introgression comments received in response to our Federal Register Notice announcing receipt of Oxitec's experimental use permit application along with the Souza-Neto et al. paper Oxitec submitted to EPA to address some of the concerns regarding introgression of vector competence traits. We have also provided a copy of the Evans et al. paper.

Our plan is to share with you our draft assessment regarding introgression and our review of the Souza-Neto et al. paper near the end of January.

Best Regards,

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